

# **MARION COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT FOREIGN BORN PROGRAM**

The MCHD receives arrival notification from the sponsoring agencies and schedules the screening appointments. MCHD has six clinics per week. The refugees are screened as follows:

Height, weight and vital signs are assessed.

Extensive health history screening questionnaire.

Venipuncture drawn for hepatitis B, CBC with differential, lead for all children up to age 15 and all child bearing females to age 50, T-spot and Ova & Parasites stool specimens.

Vaccines for all clients following the CDC guidelines for obtaining green cards.

Overseas documents are reviewed and referrals are written for positive lab results and health concerns. There are three health advocates that can follow the clients for up to 24 months (depending on needs).

Requests for screening results are to be faxed to (317) 221-2442

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